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ANWAR NASSER AULAQI

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his father was in the United States on a diplomatic post Yemen. Aulaqi holds an engineering degree from Colorado University and obtained religious training from a France Islamic correspondence program on Sharia and FIQH. Aula Master's degree in Education from San Diego State Univer currently attends George Washington University where he PhD in Human Resource Development. He is attending schools scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship provided by the Ministry of Education in Yemen San Diego State University where he Scholarship Provided Ban Diego State University where He Scholarship Provided Ban Diego State University where He Diego State U	ing from State based aqi obtain sity. He is pursui ool throug	ed a ng a
(S) Aulaqi spent nearly five years as the Ima Ribat Mosque in San Diego, California, where he had a fo approximately 200-300 people. On 06/07/99 Aulaqi became	ollowing o	f bl
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(S) In January 2001 Aulaqi relocated to Falls Church, Virginia where he now serves as the Imam of the Dar al-Hijrah

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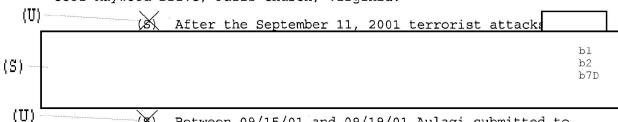


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Mosque, at 3159 Row Street, Falls Church, Virginia. He resides at 3331 Kaywood Drive, Falls Church, Virginia.



Between 09/15/01 and 09/19/01 Aulaqi submitted to four FBI interviews. In an interview on 09/17/01 Aulaqi was shown a picture of the flight 77 hijackers and thereupon stated that he knew Nawaf Alhazmi from the Al-Ribat mosque in San Diego. He did not recognize Khalid Almidhdir.

with Nawaf Alhazmi to describe some of Alhazmi's personality traits. Aulaqi considered Alhazmi to be a loner who did not have a large circle of friends. Alhazmi was slow to enter into personal relationships and was always very soft spoken, a very calm and extremely nice person. Aulaqi did not see Alhazmi as a very religious person, based on the fact that Alhazmi never wore a beard and neglected to attend all five daily prayer sessions. Aulaqi also was able to provide a physical description of Nawaf Alhazmi.

